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WASHINGTON, May 23.—There was an extraordinary session of the Cabinet to-day, called to consider business connected with the State Department. It was understood they passed upon the form of despatches to our Ministers abroad to be communicated to the Courts to which they are respectively accredited, setting forth the neutral position of our Government in the pending European hostilities.

Mr. Bishop, the newly appointed Commissioner of Patents, arrived here to-day and entered upon the duties of his office. Secretary Cass and Senator Mista, this morning had a conference on the subject of Mexican affairs. The Philadelphia Post-office question continues to excite much comment and it is now thought that John A. Campbell, Jr. will succeed Mr. Wadcott. The President has appointed Col. Stambaugh, of Pennsylvania, Surveyor General of Utah. There is no doubt that immediate measures will be taken for the protection of the Government contractor's trains from the apprehended attacks of the furnished Pike's Peak and John A. Campbell, Jr. will succeed Mr. Wadcott. The President has appointed Col. Stambaugh, of Pennsylvania, Surveyor General of Utah. There is no doubt that immediate measures will be taken for the protection of the Government contractor's trains from the apprehended attacks of the furnished Pike's Peak and John A. Campbell, Jr. will succeed Mr. Wadcott.

Presbyterian General Assembly.
WILMINGTON, Del., May 23.—Rev. B. Wallace, of Philadelphia, read the report of the church extension committee. This is the third year of its active existence. The receipts are seventy per cent in advance of the last year. Its field of operation is daily widening, and greater powers and increased contributions are required.

Reports of correspondence with foreign bodies, including a letter from the Evangelical Churches of France, were heard.

Rev. A. E. P. Parkins, from the association of Massachusetts, made an address, and in excellent spirit, which was received with applause.

An overture from the churches of Kentucky, desiring to resume their connection with this body, was referred.

Rev. Justice Perkins, a missionary from Persia, addressed the body by invitation, occupying an hour. Large audiences are in attendance.

Arrival of the New Mexican Mail.
ST. LOUIS, May 23.—The New Mexican mail, with dates to the 2d inst., reached independence last night.

The Overland mail of February and March, from Stockton, arrived at Santa Fe on the last inst. They were driven back at the crossing of the Colorado by the Mohave Indians.

The latest dated Fort Yuma, May 4th, informs the Republican that Col. Hoffman had concluded a treaty with the Mohave Indians.

Movements of Gen. Walker.
NEW ORLEANS, May 23.—Tehuantepec advices of the 14th inst. received by the "Cien sacacoles," state that the passengers by the steamship Oregon, which makes the connection between Ventosa and Acapulco, report that Gen. Walker and 300 men were on board the Vanderbilt steamship Orizaba, which had arrived from Acapulco on San Francisco.

Their intentions were unknown, but it was supposed they were bound to Southern Mexico.

The Pike's Peak Emigrants.
ST. LOUIS, May 23.—A private letter dated Pacific City, Iowa, states that a report had reached that place that a party of starving Pike's Peak emigrants attacked and captured two outward bound trains near O'Fallon's. The alleged attack, the writer, D. C. Oaks, conductor of the trains, was killed, and Mr. Griffith, the newly-appointed Postmaster at Aurora, en route to take charge of his office, was hung by the desperado.

New York Bank Statement.
NEW YORK, May 23.—The bank statement for the past week shows an increase of specie of \$918,000; decrease of loans, \$979,000; do. circulation, \$138,000; do. net deposits, \$142,000.

River News.
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LOUISVILLE, May 23, P. M.—River about stationary, with five feet in the canal.

ST. LOUIS, May 23, P. M.—River fallen six inches in the last 24 hours, and still receding. All the upper strainers are reported falling. Weather clear and warm.

MARKETS.

Cincinnati Produce Market.
MONDAY EVENING, May 23.

FLOUR—The market opened firm, and after the New York market report was made known on change, the prices advanced the 30c. The sales were estimated to 6000 bbls. at \$2.50 1/2, 75c. superfine, and \$2.50 1/2, 75c. extra. The market was quiet, and the sales were asked for extra White wheat, 2 1/2; but it was not sold.

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PRISONS—The market was quiet to-day, though holders are firm. We understand bulk sales of the best of extra and some New York country brand, at \$17. City brand Meas. Port. and \$18. and Bacon at 7 1/2 and 9 1/2.

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